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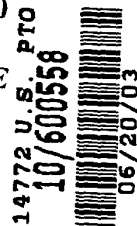
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the utility patent application of:

Inventor(s): Kashichi HIROTA

For: Stationary Board for Blocking Lights of Oncoming Vehicles in Medal Strip and
Facilitating Nighttime Identification of Metal Strip

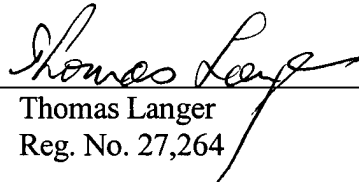
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- Small Entity Status is claimed
- Request for Publication of Assignment Information
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- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 03-2412 in the amount of \$_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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- ☒ Priority is claimed for this invention and application, corresponding applications having been filed in **Japan** on **March 28, 2003**, No. **2003-090078**.

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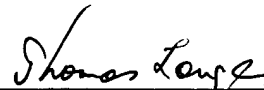
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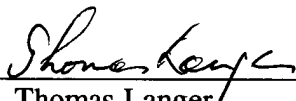
REQUEST FOR PUBLICATION OF ASSIGNMENT INFORMATION

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